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1. During the past several days a small Russian Delegation of Armament Engineers has been conferring with representatives of Czech armament industries. The discussions are of a business rather than strategic nature. On the Czech side these negotiations are led by Engineer Baxant, Chief of the Armaments Section in the Central Directorate of the Machine Industry.
2. At a meeting of Czech engineers Baxant expressed himself as dissatisfied with the progress of the negotiations, for the Russians seem only to ask questions about arms specifications, production capacity, delivery and price, but place no orders. To quote Baxant, "They are leading us by the nose".

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